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An additional 320 Cambodian Army troops and a battery of 105-mm. howitzers left Phnom Penh en route to Kampot City on March 14. Military activity at Kampot yesterday was limited to relatively ineffectual Khmer Communist mortar attacks. No significant fighting occurred in the Phnom Penh area although Communist troops attacked two Mekong River islands less than three miles northeast of the capital. A Mekong River resupply convoy carrying rice, ammunition, and fuel crossed the Cambodian border at 0800 with an ETA at Phnom Penh of 1700 on the 15th.

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